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Apple Cold Storage Report

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Highlights: Apples in cold storage reported by cold storage warehouses for Pennsylvania totaled 5,298,000 bushels on October 31, 2002, compared to 8,164,000 bushels on October 31, 2001. The three varieties with the largest fresh market and processing reported stocks in bushels were: York with 1,666,000; Golden Delicious with 1,135,000; and Red Delicious, 912,000 bushels.

Total apple stocks in Pennsylvania totaled 222,436,000 pounds on October 31, 2002, compared to 342,831,000 pounds on October 31, 2001. Pear stocks in cold storage decreased from previous year's stocks of 2,510,000 pounds to 1,674,000 pounds on October 31, 2002.

Table 1: Pennsylvania Apples In Cold Storage, October 2002

Variety	October 31, 2001					October 31, 2002				
	Fresh Market ¹		Processing		Total	Fresh Market ¹		Processing		Total
	Reg.	C.A.	Reg.	C.A.		Reg.	C.A.	Reg.	C.A.	
	1,000 Bushels									
York	31	1	1,159	500	1,691	8	0	1,278	380	1,666
Stayman	91	16	38	1	146	37	1	56	4	98
Rome	81	65	366	458	970	100	64	309	429	902
Red Delicious	538	453	154	145	1,290	335	406	77	94	912
Golden Delicious	210	166	879	538	1,793	142	130	373	490	1,135
Jonathan	12	0	72	0	84	7	0	36	0	43
McIntosh	56	0	7	0	63	25	0	5	0	30
Cortland	18	1	2	0	21	14	0	11	0	25
Other ²	279	117	1,591	119	2,106	131	92	203	61	487
Total	1,316	819	4,268	1,761	8,164	799	693	2,348	1,458	5,298

¹ Includes total quantities on hand; graded and ungraded, packed or loose on the last day of the month specified. ² Includes miscellaneous varieties and some quantities of above varieties not identified.

Table 2: Apple & Pear Stocks In Cold Storage, Pennsylvania & United States, October 31, 2002

Commodity	All Warehouse Stocks		
	October 31, 2001	September 30, 2002	October 31, 2002
Pennsylvania	<i>1,000 Lbs.</i>		
Apples:			
Regular Storage	234,471	54,982	132,143
Controlled Atmosphere	108,360	30,834	90,293
TOTAL APPLES	342,831	85,816	222,436
Pears:			
Bartletts	302	477	34
Other Varieties	2,208	2,648	1,640
TOTAL PEARS	2,510	3,125	1,674
United States			
Apples:			
Regular Storage	1,781,866	926,419	1,561,027
Controlled Atmosphere	3,782,496	1,897,480	3,668,610
TOTAL APPLES	5,564,362	2,823,899	5,229,637
Pears:			
Bartletts	73,688	98,546	50,964
Other Varieties	443,436	348,174	429,184
TOTAL PEARS	517,124	446,720	480,148